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Thursday, December 24, 1903

#### ORIGIN OF METHODISM

Judge Bright of Logan Gives Interesting Facts as to Early History.

(Columbus Dispatch)

"Methodism in the New World and Century" was the theme of Judge Bright, of Logan at the Broad Street M. E. church on Sunday evening. Among other things he said:

Methodism in America is the direct outgrowth of the Wesleyan revival in England. All Methodists recognize John Wesley as their spiritual ancestor.

Mr. Wesley was a regular minister of the church of England. Whether he ever severed his connections with that church is a disputed question. It is certain that he always looked upon that organization as in the regular order, and as the best form of organized Christianity.

"The Wesleyan movement was by the Wesleyes and their co-laborers in the beginning, intended to be simply a revival of Christianity.

"The period of the revolution was one of trial and disaster for the poor Methodists in America. Before the actual outbreak of hostilities Mr. Wesley had written his 'calm Address' to the people of the colonies, advising against war, and when the war broke out all of Mr. Wesley's missionaries went back to England, except Francis Asbury.

These facts created a suspicion which may have been helped along by denominational jealousy, against the Methodists as to their loyalty to the cause of the colonists; and many of them were sadly maltreated. Mr. Asbury, who was the general superintendent, was driven to take refuge in the home of his friends, Judge White in Delaware, where he remained in partial seclusion for about two years. Asbury, who was a representative of all of his flock, was simply wholly devoted to meeting the spiritual wants of the people, and was in no sense in politics.

In spite of the adverse circumstance, however, the Methodists increased rapidly in numbers, and by 1784 they numbered about 15,000.

Mr. Wesley consented to a separate organization in America in view of all the circumstances, and determined to send Dr. Thomas Cate to act as bishop to the Methodists in the new world. But Cate was not a bishop and to make him such irregularly was contrary to all the teachings of Mr. Wesley's life.

"He applied to the bishop of London to ordain Cate but the request was refused.

"He then revised his views as to the apostolic succession, and with the aid of others clergymen of the church of England, Dr. Cate was ordained bishop for America.

"Cate, with the assistance of others including Otterbein, the founder of the United Brethren church ordained Asbury.

"The election of Cate and Asbury was the Methodist declaration of independence. Appointment from a foreign hierarchy was not to go in America; the bishop must be elected by Americans in general conference assembled.

"Thus the new church started in 1784 with 15,000 members, it was a child in the ecclesiastic world, and a child not welcomed by its brothers and sisters. How it has grown we all know.

Street Paving.

Kerlin Bros. get the contract to pave Main street on their bid of \$24,487.28.

We Wish Evreybody,  
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Friends and Patrons,

A Merry Christmas,  
AND  
Happy New Year.

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#### The Law As to a Teacher's Authority Laid Down.

Miss Moore, the Taylorville teacher was indicted by the grand jury at the October term for assault and battery it being claimed that she punished excessively one of her pupils, Grace Goodlive. The legal questions involved in the case, strange to say, had never been passed upon by the courts of Ohio and were intensely interesting as they bore directly upon the right of a teacher in public schools, inflict corporal punishment upon a pupil and to the extent to which he may go in the infliction of such punishment. The case was bitterly contested by the attorneys interested on both sides and every inch of the ground was fought over. Prosecuting Attorney Lemert representing the state and Attorneys Browning & King representing Miss Moore. Judge Frazier's charge to the jury was reduced to writing and was an able and comprehensive exposition of the law governing the trial of the case and was highly complimented by members of the bar and others who heard it.

The law as laid down in Judge's charge is to effect that teacher in his capacity as such, is the Judge as to the proper amount of punishment to be inflicted as well as the cases in which it should be inflicted and so long as he acts in good faith is not liable under the criminal law for a mere error in his judgement and in order to convict a teacher of assault and battery for excessive punishment of a pupil, the teacher must not only have punished excessively, but must also have acted maliciously in so doing. The history of this case will be of special interest to teachers and others interested in the control and management of the public school. The jury after a comparatively short deliberation returned a verdict of not guilty, which under the evidence and instructions of the court, was fully warranted and completely exonerates Miss Moore from any criminality in the matter.—Zanesville Recorder

#### Notice.

I hereby notify the public that I will not be responsible from this date for any debts contracted by my wife, Minnie Allen.

Dec 24, 3-w JOHN W. ALLEN.

#### U. B. Church Services.

"Reflections upon the Old and Dying Year," and "Christianity or Infidelity, Which? will be the morning and evening subjects respectively next Sunday, at the U. B. Church.

#### Notice of Appointment

Estate of William Selder Deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of William Selder, late of Hocking County, deceased. Dated this 18th day of December, A. D. 1903.

DWIGHT POLING, Administrator.

#### Stylish Millinery

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#### Wanted—Furs.

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Oct. 9, 1903-12

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SOUTH BOUND  
Leave Logan..... 8:25 A.M.  
Arrive at Athens..... 10:40  
Arrive at Hamden..... 11:00  
Arrive at Wellston..... 11:20  
Arrive at Jackson..... 12:25  
Arrive at Midvale..... 12:50  
Arrive at Pomeroy..... 1:00  
Leave for Marietta..... 1:00

GOING NORTH  
Leave Logan..... 8:00 A.M.  
Arrive at Columbus..... 9:50  
Arrive at Toledo..... 12:10  
Arrive at Detroit..... 2:30  
Arrive at Chicago..... 5:20

\*Daily. \*Daily except Sunday.

C. W. SCHWENKE.

CINCINNATI & MUSKINGUM VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY.

Passenger Train Schedule Effective May 24, 1903. All Trains will leave the C. & M. V. Depot, Lancaster, as follows:

EAST BOUND TRAINS  
No. 42, daily except Sunday..... 6:05 a.m.  
No. 22, Sunday only..... 8:25 a.m.  
No. 6, daily except Sunday..... 11:25 a.m.  
No. 34, daily except Sunday..... 4:15 p.m.  
No. 28, daily except Sunday..... 7:30 p.m.

WEST BOUND TRAINS  
No. 21, daily except Sunday..... 7:15 a.m.  
No. 18, daily except Sunday..... 1:15 p.m.  
Westbound trains rough to Cincinnati.  
M. BENNETT, Superintendent. W. WILKINSON, Gen. Ticket Agent.